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WHOLESALE & RETAIL GROCERS.

G. T. STRONACH,

COTTON FACTOR

Wholesale and Retail Grocer

DEALER IN HARNESS,

SHOES, SADDLERY,
FARMING UTENSILS,
BOOTS,

Wholesale Dealer in Whiskies, Brandies and a fine supply of Family Liquors always on draft.

Corn Whiskey warranted to be the best, Bumgardner's Pure Rye.

Buys and sells Cotton and Naval Stores.

MARKET ST., RALEIGH, N. C.

nov 8-1f

W. H. JONES & CO.,

AUCTION

AND

COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

RALEIGH, N. C.

sept 27-1f

Dickson's Compound.

THE MOST RELIABLE FERTILIZER IS ---- tee prepared at Augusta Georgia. This fertilizer has enabled Mr. Dickson of Georgia to make two Bales Cotton to the Acre. Call and see sample.

W. H. JONES & CO.,
dec 4-1f Com. Merchants.

Fruit Trees.

WE ARE AGENTS FOR J. LINDLEY & SON, Nursery men of 30 years experience. Can furnish all kinds Fruit Trees at short notice.

W. H. JONES & CO.,
dec 4-1f Com. Merchants.

N. C. Family Flour.

EQUAL TO ANY, GUARANTIED TO GIVE satisfaction.

W. H. JONES & CO.,
dec 4-1f Com. Merchants.

PEELER COTTON SEED.

Genuine Peeler Cotton Seed for sale by the bushel, a small lot.

W. H. JONES, & CO.
dec 7-1f Comm. Merchants.

Groceries, &c.

100 SACKS LIVERPOOL FINE SALT, "Worthington."
100 Bags Shot.
100,000 G. D. and Water-proof Caps.
500 lbs F F F Powder.
50 kegs Old Dominion Nails.
40 bbls. Refined Brown and E. I. Sugars.
25 sacks Rio, Leg, and Java Coffee.
200 lbs. best Brands Green and Black Tea.
25 boxes Brown Soap.
25 " Candles.
20 kegs and boxes Soda, and Starch.
50 Reams Wrapping Paper.

In Store at
oct 8-1tf B. F. WILLIAMSON'S.

Mullets.

75 BARRELS VERY FAT and fresh, just received direct from the Fishery on consignment.

nov 25-1f B. P. WILLIAMSON.

FLOUR.

50 Barrels "R. A. Jenkins" Family Flour.
25 " " Extra " "
equal to any Flour in this market, in Store and to be sold on shippers account.

nov 25-1f B. P. WILLIAMSON.

LARD.

25 Fifty pound Packages best Lard,
5 Tierces " "

nov 25-1f B. P. WILLIAMSON.

WHISKIES.

Choice North Carolina Whiskies and Brandies on Draft, I know them to be such and I keep no other.

nov 25-1f B. P. WILLIAMSON.

NEW ARRIVAL.

NEW GOODS.

NEW STORE,

CORNER WILMINGTON AND MARTIN Streets, East of Market Square.

UPCHURCH & DODD,

ARE NOW

SAFELY located on the Corner of Wilmington and Martin Streets, where they have a large new Store and are just receiving a large Stock of Groceries, to which they invite the attention of their friends and the public generally. Country Merchants especially invited to examine their Stock. They have now on hand, and are daily receiving,

Coffees, Teas, Sugars, Bacon, Lard, Molasses,
Flour, Rice, Starch, Cooking Soda,
Spices, Apple Cider Vinegar, Snuff,
Tobacco Leather Sole and Upper,
Leather Harness, Axes,
Long Handle Shovels,
Pocket Cutlery, Cotton Yarns,
4-4 Sheetings, Spool Thread,
Iron for farming purposes,
Water Buckets,
Soda Crackers,
Lemon Crackers,
Tea Cakes,
Shoe Blacking,
Brooms,
Candles,
Mullets, Lime, Paper Collars,
Needles and Pins,
Brandy Peaches, Candy,
Raisins, Rosin Soap,
Amber Laundry Soaps,
Spices, Cotton Cards,
Concentrated Lye,
Trace Chains,
Coffee Mills,
Horse Shoes,
Mule Shoes,
Nails,
G. D. Caps, W. P. Caps, Musket Caps, Gun Powder, Shot, &c. &c. &c.

dec 4-1f

P. C. CHRISTOPHERS,
DEALER IN

FAMILY GROCERIES,

NORTH SIDE OF MARKET SQUARE,
[Stone Building recently occupied by Jeff. Pasher.]

RALEIGH, N. C.

HAS JUST RECEIVED A NICE LOT OF Family Groceries: N. C. Va. and Western Bacon, North Carolina and Baltimore City Lard, A superior lot of North Carolina Flour. Also Corn, Meal, Mackerel by the kit and Mullets by the barrel and in small quantities to suit families. Also Superior Western New York

DAIRY BUTTER,

Which I will keep on hand regularly. Call and examine it.

oct 8-1tf

For Sale, A Light equal to Gas at one fourth the Cost.

THE PETROLIA OIL WILL GIVE THE cheapest, safest, cleanest and most brilliant light of any Oil in the market. It gives double the light of Kerosene, does not smoke, is cheaper, and is warranted not to explode.

There is no necessity of buying new Lamps, as it will burn in ordinary Kerosene Lamps with the 80° Burner.

One trial will convince the most skeptical of its superior merits.

Call and see it.

dec 25-1f W. H. JONES & CO.

WHOLESALE & RETAIL GROCERS,

LYNN ADAMS,

WHOLESALE & RETAIL

GROCER,

COTTON FACTOR, COMMISSION, SHIPPING AND FORWARDING MERCHANT,

AND DEALER IN

Iron, Hardware, Plows, Shoes, Dry Goods and Cotton Yarn,

No. 3 Market Square, South Side,

RALEIGH, N. C.

I RETURN MY THANKS FOR THE VERY liberal patronage extended to me by my friends and the public generally, for the last 20 years, and hope, by strict and prompt attention to all business entrusted to me, to merit the confidence of the public, and the influence of my friends. An experience of 20 years will enable me to attend strictly to all shipments and consignments.

All letters of inquiry promptly answered, and best possible information furnished.

Refers to the principal business men of the State.

aug 25-3m

MARYLAND AND NORTH CAROLINA Flour in Store and for sale by

nov 26-1f LYNN ADAMS.

Lime! Lime!! Lime!!!

80 BARRELS FOR PLASTERING PURposes &c., in Store.

For sale by

nov 26-1f LYNN ADAMS.

50 BARRELS FLOUR IN Store and for sale by

nov 26-1f LYNN ADAMS.

100

WHISKY.

WHISKY,

WHISKY.

100 BARRELS JUST RECEIVED.

COME AND SEE.

NORTH CAROLINA CORN

WHISKEY,

BUMGARDNER RYE WHISKY
PURE N. C. " "

Our PRICES are the LOWEST, our Whisky warranted to be just as it is represented. Compete with Northern markets or Distillery prices.

C. T. STRONACH,
dec 18-1f Wholesale Liquor Dealer

MISCELLANEOUS.

HYMANS & DANCY,

Commission Merchants,

47 WIDE WATER STREET

NORFOLK, VA.

SHELL LIME.

WE ARE PREPARED TO FURNISH PLANTERS WITH OYSTER SHELL LIME IN QUANTITIES TO SUIT.

ORDERS SOLICITED.

HYMANS & DANCY,
Norfolk, Va.

Dec 15-1m

DR. J. H. CRAWFORD,

DENTAL SURGEON.

HAS REMOVED FROM HIS OLD PLACE OF business, to the rooms over Mr. Hearn's store, East side Fayetteville Street, and formerly occupied by Mr. Babcock, where he will be pleased to see his old friends and customers and others desiring his services.

Returns thanks for the liberal patronage which he has received.

nov 21 1y

FOR SALE.

A LOT OF TWENTY-ONE FEET FRONT ON Fayetteville Street in the City of Raleigh situated between the lots of Jno. G. Williams and E. R. Pentress, the property of Phil Theim, is offered for sale.

For terms apply to subscriber.

W. S. MASON,
nov 9-tf Attorney

NOTICE.

LOST OR MISLAID A CERTIFICATE OF Stock for one share in the Raleigh & Gaston Railroad Company. Notice is hereby given that application will be made for renewal of said certificate.

JAMES W. BROWN.
dec 18 1m*

A CARD.

HAVING been consulted by numerous citizens of Raleigh on the coming election for Mayor of the City, and finding that there does exist a great dissatisfaction with regard to the present incumbent, and after being strongly solicited, I have consented and do through this medium announce myself as an **independent Republican candidate** for the Mayoralty of the city of Raleigh for the year 1870. I will say no more at present, a ping that a favorable opportunity may be presented for me to address my fellow citizens on the subject.

Very respectfully,

dec 14-td J. P. ADAMS.

BOOK STORES.

A STANDARD HISTORY BY

GEN. LEE.

A Work of National and Permanent Value.

MEMOIRS OF THE WAR,

By Gen. Henry Lee.

("LIGHT HORSE HARRY")

Thoroughly Revised and Annotated,

BY GEN. ROBERT E. LEE.

WHO HAS ADDED A FULL BIOGRAPHY OF HIS FATHER.

1 vol. octavo, 640 pages, with new Steel Portraits of Gen Henry Lee, Gen. Robert E. Lee, and Gen. Nathaniel Greene; beautiful Steel Engravings of "Marion Crossing the Pedee," and the "Surrender of Cornwallis;" Maps of the Siege of Charleston, S. C.; the Siege of Yorktown, Va.; the Battle fought near Camden; the Battle of Guilford; the Battle of Hobkirk's Hill; and a sketch of Gen. Henry Lee's residence.

This admirable history of the operations of the American Armies during the Revolutionary War in the Southern Department of the United States is the standard work on the subject of which it treats; and this new edition, revised, corrected, and enlarged by Gen. Robert E. Lee, the distinguished son of the author, and embellished by elegant Engravings, and original Maps never before published, is a volumne of the highest value to every intelligent person.

This history has been for a long time out of print, and because of its accuracy as a history of that interesting period and that there was no work to supply its place, it was much sought for and a new edition demanded.

It is seldom that a historical work by a distinguished author has the advantage of a revision by so distinguished a son, and both of them great military leaders in the same section of the country.

Gen. Lee receives a LARGE COPYRIGHT UPON EVERY COPY OF THE BOOK SOLD. Sold only by subscription.

PRICES:—Handsomely bound in Cloth, $4 00.
" " Half Calf 6 00.

J. A. JONES,
Agent for Wake County.

The Books are now in Store, and can be had at any time. Send to any address upon receipt of price.

nov 25-1f

LIFE INSURANCE.

THE GEORGIA

MUTUAL FIRE

AND

LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

OF MACON GA.,

INSURES ON ALL THE MOST APPROVED PLANS.

Makes no restriction for any of the Ordinary occupations of Life,

ALL POLICIES ISSUED BY THIS COMPANY ARE NON-FORFEITING AFTER ONE ANNUAL PAYMENT.

W. D. HAYWOOD, Ag't.
Raleigh, N. C.

nov 29 3m

MISCELLANEOUS.

DECEMBER 1st, 1869.

HATS

SOMETHING NEW

Just received at

ANDREWS' THE CLOTHIER'S

THE NEWEST STYLE

GENTLEMAN'S DRESS HATS

NOVEL, ATTRACTIVE AND BECOMING,

Our Young Gentlemen's Dress Hat

IS

UNIQUE, DASHING AND GRACEFUL.

Every Young Gentleman should have one,

ANDREWS THE CLOTHIER.

OUR STOCK OF WINTER CLOTHING FOR MEN AND BOYS, EMBRACES ALL THE NOVELTIES OF THE SEASON, IS LARGE AND complete in every department.

Andrews the Clothier,

NEXT DOOR TO TUCKER HALL,
Fayetteville St., Raleigh, N. C.

Dec 1-tf

NOTICE.

APPLICATION WILL BE MADE TO THE Legislature for a Charter to incorporate the "Furnace Old Mine and Sandy Creek Water Company," in Franklin county.

THO'S K. THOMAS,
WM B. STURGIS,
and others.

dec 6-130d

OXFORD FEMALE ACADEMY.

THE EXERCISES OF THIS INSTITUTION will be resumed Jan. 13th 1870 under the charge of

MISS M. E. MITCHELL, PRINCIPAL.
MRS. F. N. GRANT, ASSOCIATE PRINCIPAL.
MISS E. N. MICKLE, ASSISTANT TEACHER.
MRS. W. H. MORROW, TEACHER OF MUSIC.

Circulars containing terms &c. sent on application to the Principal.

dec 16-3m

MERCHANT TAILOR.

ANOTHER ARRIVAL OF NEW AND FASHIONABLE GOODS AT

E. BESSON'S,

MERCHANT TAILOR,

West Side Fayetteville St.,

Opposite the New Market House.

KEEPS CONSTANTLY ON HAND A FULL assortment of

CLOTHS,

CASSIMERES,

BEAVER CLOTH,

DOESKIN, &c., &c.

Gentlemen's full suits, or any garment needed, made to order and in the very best style, and in accordance with the latest Parisian fashions.

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

A new and fresh stock daily expected.

dec 1 3m

PETERSBURG ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. E. VENABLE. HENRY M. WILLIAMSON

J. E. VENABLE & CO.,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

BUY AND SELL ON COMMISSION

Tobacco, Cotton, Grain, &c.

Constantly on hand a large stock of Manufactured Tobacco and the Celebrated

CAROLINA BELLE SNUFF,

No. 3, IRON FRONT, STEAMBOAT ST.,
Petersburg Va.

July 14 d6m.

ROB'T A. MARTIN, ROB'T R. HILL.

ROB'T A. MARTIN & CO.

Grocers & Commission Merchants,

129 Sycamore St.,

PETERSBURG, VA.

FAITHFUL Personal attention given to the sale of Cotton, Tobacco &c. Groceries furnished at reasonable prices for cash or short time to responsible parties customers.

Nov. 29-3m*

WIDE SWEDE IRON, 6 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 inches wide. Just received and for sale low by

GILLIAM & DUNLOP,
121 Sycamore St.,
Oct 29-d3m Petersburg, Va.

MISCELLANEOUS.

WARRENTON FEMALE COLLEGE,

Warrenton, N. C.

THE Next Session will begin on WEDNESDAY, the 12th January, 1870.

With a most healthy location, the comforts of a home, a very efficient faculty, and all the appliances necessary to a first class Female College, this Institution offers SUPERIOR ADVANTAGES for educational purposes.

Charges per session of 20 weeks

Board, (exclusive of washing and lights.) $75.00
Tuition in regular College course, 25.00
Charges for extra studies, moderate.
Board and a small sum for books &c., IN ADVANCE.

For circulars containing particulars, apply to

T. M JONES, President.

nov 23-1f

VALUABLE LANDS FOR SALE.

ON WEDNESDAY THE 5th of January next we will offer for sale that valuable and highly improved plantation in Northampton Co., late the property of J Devereaux and known as Montrose. A plot of the land can be seen by applying to J. W. Newsome Esq., on the premises. Mr. Newsome or L. H. Boyce will be at all times on the premises and will show the dividing lines to any parties desiring to purchase. The plantation will be divided into five separate and distinct farms which will be offered sepa ately.

The sale will take place on the day above mentioned at 12 o'clock, at the Montrose House. Terms 1 one-fourth cash, the balance on liberal time which will be made known at the sale.

R. G. BADGER,
WALTER CLARK, } Trustees.

Raleigh, Dec 7-d15 3

Standard and Roanoke News copy, until 15th January and send bills to this office.

NOTICE.

HAVING LOST CERTIFICATE No. 922, of stock in the North Carolina Railroad Company, at the end of 30 days I will apply for a duplicate of said Certificate,

nov 25-1m THOMAS H. TURNER.

TO THE WORKING CLASS.—We are now prepared to furnish all classes with constant employment at home, the whole of the time or for the spare moments. Business new, light and profitable. Persons of either sex easily earn from 50c. to $5 per evening, and a proportional sum by devoting their whole time to the business. Boys and girls earn nearly as much as men. That all who see this notice may send their address, and test the business, we make this unparalleled offer: To such as are not well satisfied, we will send $1 to pay for the trouble of writing. Full particulars, a valuable sample which will do to commence work on, and a copy of *The People's Literary Companion*—one of the largest and best family newspapers published—all sent free by mail. Reader, if you want permanent, profitable work, addre G. ALLEN & CO., Augusta, Maine.

Oct 20-dewkw3m.

For Sale or Rent.

ON 1st, JANUARY 1870, THE GRANGE Hotel will be offered for Rent, if not Rented for sale to the highest bidder. Special attention is called to this property as being the only Hotel property in the town of Hillsboro.

HENRY N. BROWN.

dec 15-13t

FOR SALE.

THAT VERY DESIRABLE RESIDENCE AND Lot on West Center Street in Goldsboro known as the R. H. Atkinson property.

If not disposed of at private sale by the first Monday in January 1870, will be sold on that day at the Court House door in Goldsboro, to the highest bidder.

For terms &c., apply to

WM. F ATKINSON, Ad'r.

dec 11-d4ds

FOR RENT.

ROOMS WELL ADAPTED FOR ATTORneys Offices near the Yarborough Hotel for Rent, for 1870. Apply to

dec 4-2w B. F. MOORE.

RALEIGH NATIONAL BANK OF NORTH CAROLINA.

RALEIGH, N. C. Dec. 15th 1869.

THE regular annual meeting of the Stockholders of the "Raleigh National Bank of North Carolina" will be held in their Banking House in this City on the second Tuesday in January 1870 being the 11th day of the month at 10 o'clock A. M.

P. A. WILEY, Cashier.

dec 16-d2 1w4dsun

BALTIMORE ADVERTISEMENTS.

SAMUEL KIRK & SON,

172 W. BALTIMORE STREET. 172

BALTIMORE, Md.

MANUFACTURERS OF ELEGANT

SILVER WARE,

WATCHES AND FINE JEWELRY.

sept 25-d3m Established 1817.

BOSWELL, SLACK & CO.,

General Commission Merchants.

60 SOUTH ST., BALTIMORE, MD.

LIBERAL ADVANCES MADE ON CONSIGNMENTS of Cotton, Tobacco, Wool, Flour, Meal, Grain and Country Produce of every description.

sept 25-d3m*

DR. KIERSTEAD'S

UNRIVALED REMEDY,

THE

KING OF ALL PAIN,

THE GREAT INTERNAL AND EXTERNAL MEDICINE, WILL CURE

Headache in 5 min'ts
Neuralgia,
Rheumatism,
Coughs and Cold,
Cramps and Chollic,
Inflamation of the Kidneys,
Piles,
Burns,
Toothache in 1 minute
Sprains,
Diarrhoea,
Fever and Ague,
Cholera Morbus,
Foul Stomach,

and many other diseases and ailments of the human body, too numerous to enumerate.

It is a Diuretic curing diseases of the Kidneys and Bladder. It is a Tonic and Stimulant, giving an appetite and invigorating the system. It is a Diaphoretic, causing perspiration and allaying fever. It is an Expectorant, acting on the Lungs, and good in all Throat and Lung diseases.

There is not a pain or ache, bruises or inflammatory, but that the King of all Pain will relieve and in most instances entirely cure. It should always be used before any other remedy is tried, for it is almost certain in every case to be the only thing needed.

PRICE 50 CENTS PER BOTTLE.

Sold by all Druggists, Apothecaries, and Dealers everywhere.

W. H. Brown & Brother,

SOLE PROPRIETORS,

Wholesale Druggists, Baltimore, Md.

sept 15-d6m

J. J. BIGGS,

COTTON FACTOR,

AND GENERAL

COMMISSION MERCHANT,

No. 51 PRATT STREET,

BALTIMORE.

Liberal advances made on Cotton and other Produce in hand.

REFERS TO

Hon. Geo. Howard Tarboro', N. C.; M. Rountree & Co., Wilson, N. C.; Jno. O Williams & Co., Raleigh, N. C.; Maj J. M. Mayo, Whitaker, N. C.; Jno. Myers' Sons, Washington, N. C.; Beaton & Harrison, Boykins, Va.; R. A. Martin & Co., Petersburg, Va.; Kader Biggs & Co., Norfolk, Va.; Col. Wm. Lamb, Norfolk; Robt. Tannahill, New York; Dr. P. F. Clements, Baltimore.

sept 29 d3m

JAMES M. COULTER,

48 SOUTH FREDERICK STREET,

BALTIMORE, Md.,

Importer and Dealer in all descriptions of

IRON AND STEEL,

FOR AGRICULTURAL, MANUFACTURING AND MINING PURPOSES.

Always on hand, a well assorted stock of refined Iron from the best American Mills, Swedes and Norway Iron, Plough Steel, &c.

Orders carefully and promptly executed at favorable Market rates.

oct 9-dwawtm

CANFIELD, BRO. & CO.,

IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN

WATCHES, JEWELRY,

Silver Ware, Diamonds, Pearls, Bronzes, Clocks, Fancy Goods, &c.

239 Baltimore Street, BALTIMORE, Md.

Dealers are invited to examine our stock. Agents for Waltham American Watches.

oct 15-eo3m

Geo. P. Thomas & Co.

DEALERS IN

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC

LIQUORS,

No. 385 W. Baltimore Street,

BALTIMORE.

nov 22-3m

W. T. DAVIDSON, W. J. MCELHINEY.

A. C. FAIRFAX,

WITH

DAVIDSON & McELHINEY,

GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

AND

Wholesale Liquor Dealers

No. 7, COMMERCE STREET,

Baltimore, Md.

Dec 3 d3m

NEW YORK ADVERTISEMENTS.

DR. RICHAU'S

GOLDEN REMEDIES.

$1.000 REWARD for any case of disease in any stage which they fail to cure.

Dr. RICHAU'S GOLDEN BALSAM No. 1 cures Ulcers, Ulcerated Sore Throat and Mouth, Sore Eyes, Eruptions, Copper colored Blotches, Scrofula, &c.; is the greatest Purifier known, removes all disease from the system, and leaves the blood pure and healthy.

Dr. RICHAU'S GOLDEN BALSAM No. 2 cures Mercurial Affections. Rheumatism in all its forms, gives immediate relief in all cases. No dieting necessary. Price of either No. 1 or No. 2, $5.00 per bottle, or two bottles for $9.00.

Dr. RICHAU'S GOLDEN ANTIDOTE, a safe, speedy, pleasant and radical cure for all Urinary Derangements, accompanied with full directions. Price $2.00 per bottle.

Dr. RICHAU'S GOLDEN ELIXIR D'AMOUR, a radical cure for Nervous or General Debility, in old or young; imparting energy with wonderful effect. Price $5.00 per bottle or two bottles for $9.00.

On receipt of price, these Remedies will be shipped to any place.

Address DR. D. B. RICHARDS,
No. 229 Varick St., New York.
July 26-d1y Circulars sent.

Mechanics, Building and Loan Association.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECtors of the M. B. & Loan Association held on Friday evening the 17th inst. it was decided to recommend, the closing of the Books of the Association at the regular meeting in January.

Members wishing to increase their stock have an opportunity of doing so until that time.

WM. SIMPSON,
dec 18-4dtm Secretary.

NOTICE,

ON SATURDAY JANUARY 1st, 1870, I WILL Rent, PUBLICLY, in the town, of Nashville, the Freedmen Bee House and Offices; for the coming year.

WM. LOFLAND ARRINGTON.

nov 22-2w Ag't for H. G. Brenizer.

HARDWARE, CUTLERY, &c.

THOMAS H. BRIGGS,

SUCCESSOR TO BRIGGS & DODD,

DEALER IN

HARDWARE, CUTLERY,

IRON AND STEEL,

PAINTS, VARNISHES, COLORS, OILS,

GLASS,

and all kinds House Furnishing Goods.

ALSO,

AGENT FOR THE SALE OF

BURR AND ESOPUS MILL STONES,

"Anchor" Bolting Cloth,

RUBBER AND LEATHER BELTING, STEAM ENGINES AND SAW MILLS, CIRCULAR SAWS,

Iron Fronts, Verandas, Fences, and all kinds of Ornamental Iron Works

No. 10, Fayetteville Street,
RALEIGH, N. C.

CALL AND SEE.

THE CELEBRATED SOUTHERN HOME and Virginia Air Tight Coal stoves.

At

THOMAS H. BRIGGS.

Nov 24f

PARLOR COOK AND DIXIE HEATING Stoves at No. 10 Fayetteville Street.

Nov 24-1f T. H. BRIGGS.

RALEIGH

SASH, BLIND AND DOOR FACTORY.

All orders promptly attended to.

THOS. H. BRIGGS,
Dec 1 Proprietor.

MISCELLANEOUS

PHILLIPS & MERRIMON,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW,

RALEIGH, N. C.

S. F. PHILLIPS. A. S. MERRIMON.
Dec 29-1f

A. D. TAYLOR,

Grocer and Commission Merchant.

No. 10 Hargett Street.

Dealer in CHOICE FAMILY SUPPLIES, Liquors Teas, Coffees, Spices, Wood and Willow Ware, Crockery, &c.

9th 3-1f

New and Fashionable Jewelry.

H. MAHLER,

WATCHMAKER, JEWELLER AND ENGRAVER,

HAVING JUST RECEIVED FROM NEW York a new and fashionable assortment of Jewelry, is offering the same at reasonable prices. In his stock may be found 1-day, 8-day and 30-day clocks

American, English and Swiss Watches.

A fine collection of walking canes, plain hickory, grape vine, rattan, or gold-headed ebony canes suited for every age and fancy.

Gold, Silver and Plated Ware

kept constantly on hand or made to order by the most skilful workmen.

Specacles,

in plain, silver or gold bows, adapted to every defect of age or near-sightedness.

Watches

repaired, cleaned and put in

Complete Order

by the most skilful watchmakers.

Seals, Monograms and Silver Plate

engraved with neatness and dispatch.

Call and buy first-class goods at fair prices.

oct 21 3m

New York Styles

FOR

1869. FALL & WINTER. 1869.

KRETH & WEIKEL,

MERCHANT TAILORS,

FAYETTEVILLE ST., RALEIGH, N. C.

ANNOUNCE to their Patrons and the Public that they have just received their

FALL AND WINTER STOCK

of superior ENGLISH FRENCH and GERMAN

Cloths, Doeskins,

Beavers, Castors,

Cassimeres and Vestings,

Which will be made up by the best workmen in the State and in the latest styles.

Charges exceedingly moderate, and satisfaction warranted in all cases.

sept 24-d3m

Upholstering in all its Branches.

MATTRASSES MADE AND REPAIRED.

RUFUS B. HARRISON & BROTHER, HAVE opened a shop in the Keim House, a few doors North of the Yarborough House, on Fayetteville Street, where they will be pleased to receive orders for work in their line.

They have employed one of the best Mattress Makers in the State, and will guarantee to give entire satisfaction to customers.

Prices at the very lowest living figures.

Carpets made and put down, walls papered, and all other work in that line done at shortest notice.

nov 8 1f

Notice.

OFFICE NORTH CAROLINA LAND CO., RALEIGH, N. C., Feb. 27, 1869.

This Company makes no charge for advertising Lands, Farms, Houses, Mines, &c., placed with them for sale. They only charge 5 per cent. on the amount obtained, and this not until the sale is perfected.

GEORGE LITTLE, President.

R. W. BEST, Sec. & Treas.

Feb. 27-tf

GENUINE DURHAM

SMOKING TOBACCO.

MANUFACTURED BY W. T. BLACKWELL, SUCCESSOR TO

J. R. GREEN & CO.,

Durham, N. C.

GET the genuine, which has the picture of the big Durham Bull on the label. For sale at wholesale and retail of the manufacturer. Address as above.

dec 9-eo3tw

FIRE INSURANCE.

FIRE! FIRE! FIRE!

NORTH CAROLINA

HOME INSURANCE COMPANY

Authorized Capital, - - $500,000
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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1869.

BENCH AND BAR.

It may be thought that we should allow a little respite to the Bench and the Bar, and not parade them so often before the public. Would that oblivion's curtain could be drawn forever over their conduct and history for the last four years. The Bench and Bar of North Carolina always inculcated the best moral principles and precepts among the people.

The Bench once had the veneration, while the Bar had the admiration of the people of North Carolina. The people have lost all their veneration for the one, and much of their admiration for the other. The progress of human degeneracy was never so rapid before, except, perhaps, during the French revolution. The principles of moral obligation are sure to be relaxed, if not destroyed, by war. Our late war was no exception to this rule; every class of society felt its blighting effects; none felt it more than the Bar. It was the Bar that furnished so much worthless and unworthy material for the Bench.

If any one of the people retain a feeling the least akin to veneration for any member of the Judiciary of our State, (save and excepting Judge Mitchell,) we desire to know which one it is.

If any one of the people did not, by the dirty, doubling, inconsistent and contradictory conduct of Cantwell, Dick, Settle, Rodman, Starbuck, Cloud, Lassiter, Winston, Reade, Barringer, (both of them, Victor and Rufus,) Badham, Coleman and Jones, not to mention Billy Henderson and Chicken Stephens, lose confidence in the Bar, then we wish to know which one of the people it was.

In the fierce struggle now going on between virtue and vice, falsehood and truth, honesty and roguery, we have seen members of the Bar, on the side of truth, doubt, hesitate, and then go over to falsehood and error for the sake of a Judgship.—But our purpose in this article was not to throw reproach upon the Bench or the Bar.

The waste and desolation which Sherman in his unchristian march, spread over our fields and cities, was nothing compared with the moral desolation diffused by the war through every branch of society and especially the Bar.

We know the Bench and Bar are both aware of the great loss they have sustained in the good opinion of the people; they can recover their loss as soon as they return to their old principles and become what they once were. In the last argument between the Bench and Bar about the rule for contempt, we did injustice to the Bench by saying it was knocked down by the Bar. In this we we were in error; Col. Ruffin did not knock Judge Dick down as we heretofore stated.

The collision took place in the office of Mr. Scott, in Greensboro', Judge Dick refused to allow Col. Ruffin to appear before him, until he should answer the rule in the case of B. F. Moore and others; as soon as he had disposed of the case—he announced to Col. Ruffin that his connection with the case as Judge was now over, and added, "are you mad Col. Ruffin? What do you think of my ruling?" Col. Ruffin said, "I think it an infamous, wicked, tyrannical rule; left to yourself, I don't think you would have made it. You do it to bolster up others and at the behest of party."—Judge Dick denied the soft impeachment, and said he "was not influenced by party in his decisions, and the man who said he was, uttered a falsehood." Upon this opinion of the Bench, the Bar struck, inflicting two severe blows, one between the eyes, which deprived the Judge of his spectacles, and the other between the nose and mouth. Being near sighted, the loss of his spectacles put the Judge at great disadvantage in the settlement of the rule.—Instead of seizing upon Col. Ruffin, the Judge in his blindness, seized upon a chair, which Mr. Scott took from him, and so the rule was answered.

This is the first Judge ever whipped in North Carolina. Some five years before the Revolution, the Regulators in Orange lynched the Judges and the Bar. That was a lesson and correction which lasted until this present writing, when it again becomes necessary to chastise the Bench.—"Let us have peace."

THE COMING DEMOCRATIC LEADER.—Judge Thurman, of Ohio, who succeeded to the seat lately vacated by Mr. Wade, has given indications by his numerous and ready utterances of the past two days that the Democracy has at last found its Coming Man. That diminutive body in the Senate has suffered a serious loss by the defeat of Mr. Hendricks, and its leadership has hitherto been uncertain. That doubt has now been dispelled, and Judge Thurman stands forth as the most authoritative exponent of Democracy in our highest legislative body. His speeches yesterday indicated remarkable acuteness as a debater, and showed the ex Chief Justice of Ohio to be an accomplished parliamentary tactician. His unfailing courtesy toward his opponents, his frankness and fairness in conceding every legitimate inference from their facts, will undoubtedly give him great personal popularity even with the Senatorial majority, who recognize him as a foeman worthy of their steel.—*Wash. Chronicle.*

For the Sentinel.

A LETTER SUPPOSED TO HAVE BEEN WRITTEN BY GOVERNOR HOLDEN TO HIS FRIEND, GEN. LITTLEFIELD, IN HIS EXILE.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Raleigh, N. C.

My Dear General:—I saw a notice of your arrival in Tallahassee, and afterward your advent into Montgomery. With what joy did I receive the news of your safe departure from Florida! I thought your venturing there was hazardous, but what, dear General, is too perilous for a Union soldier?

How did you leave my dear friend, Gov. Read? That republican traitor, Conant, thought to wound him in honor, by charging that he had been bribed; but our friends here do not believe it, and even if it were so, they would not believe it. So, false or true, it can't hurt the Governor or the party. That is so much for character, and our party know how to value it. You, yourself, General, know how to appreciate that blessing.

We have had great difficulties here since you left. You could heal them if you were here, but when it will be safe for you to return I cannot tell.

Our friends in the Legislature defeated Durham's resolution to send an investigating Committee to New York. O, my friend, we were in a straight for awhile, when our friends thoughtlessly let the resolution pass, and it was a difficult task to undo the mischief, but we did it, and the resolution was rescinded. It is true this blunder hurt us, but the investigation in New York would have hurt us worse.—Moore, of Chowan, is a glorious fellow.—He was always a Union man at heart, but was led astray by Rodman, and overpersuaded to lead the Chowan militia in defence of Roanoke Island. He failed to drive the federals from Roanoke, but he drove Jarvis, Durham, and that slippery fellow, Pou, (we'll have to watch *him*,) and their allies, from the investigation. Yes, Moore is your friend, and he gave substantial proof of it in our late visit to New York, as well as in his masterly movement in delaying, in fact, I may say, defeating the investigation. He does not expect it, I know, but I think it would become you to make him some valuable present, as a token of your appreciation of his services.

Pike's a trump, too. I never commissioned a more meritorious officer, excepting perhaps, Capt. Booker. He uses up that scoundrel, Joe Turner, every day. He laughs at him, dogs him, blackguards him, and makes all manner of fun of him. Turner can't stand it, and has left the city again. You know ridicule is the best argument in the world, and Pike's a hand at it, sure. It does me much good, each morning, to read his fine samples of wit and ridicule, as I sip my morning coffee.

When you left, the SENTINEL advertised you, offering $50,000 reward for you, as you have doubtless seen. Turner left, the other day, and Pike advertised one cent reward for him, and had the contumacious rebel represented as riding a hog, with the motto, "save my bacon;" pinned to his back. The whole city laughed. My son-in-law, Lewis, declared it was the best thing that had happened since I made him Attorney General. My son, Joseph William, thinks it worth as much as being Director on two Railroads. Calvin, my other son in law, knows it will highly please Chief Justice Pearson and the Supreme Court Bench. You know Calvin was President of the Convention, when old Pell and Sexton Gales got up, among the "aristocracy," a tirade of ridicule by calling him "Daddy Cowles." But enough of family matters.

Dr. Hawkins, you know, got me into a d—l of a scrape about the lease of the North Carolina Railroad. He now has on foot another scheme, if Barnett's bill to sell, fails. He will propose, but not through his brother, Phil., (who has had his disabilities removed, and can help,) a bill to sell $1,000,000 of the State's stock in the Road. This will be bought by the Raleigh and Gaston Road, if the scheme succeeds, which will give that Road a controlling influence in the Directory of the North Carolina Road. Judging from the fee Hawkins paid you for lobbying through the $2,000,000, for the Chatham Road, I take it he would pay heavily for a little help of the same sort, to further the present scheme.

Maj. Smith favored the lease of the North Carolina Road, and it is fair to presume he will favor this new enterprise.—(By-the-way, our friend Galloway has been pretty bitter on the Major lately, and I fear some trouble in that quarter.) The bill for the sale of $1,000,000 will not be introduced until Barnett's bill falls.

How will it do for you to return home during the recess. When the committee sits, you can leave again. I must close for want of time for writing more. Whether you return or not be assured of my highest regards in your retirement. I suppose my next must be directed to *Germantown, Pa.* Living or dead, no man can counte f i the sign manual of W. W. HOLDEN.

COMING HOME TO ROOST.—Some of the blessings of Radical reconstruction are coming home to those who have been most instrumental in forcing it upon us. Senator Galloway's "personal explanation" in the Senate on Thursday (see proceedings) will explain our meaning. These denunciations by a State Senator, though colored, cannot be laughed at by Major Smith, for by his influence and vote he has heaped these coals of fire upon his own head.

How singular it is that these Radical legislators do all they can to protect such officials as Littlefield, Jones and Sloan, and attack such men as are calculated to reflect some credit upon the party. We believe Governor Holden is more responsible for this condition of affairs than any other one person. His whole official conduct shows that he will trust and employ no man of character and talents. His advisers, appointees and associates are men of questionable reputation. With few exceptions those who hold office, directly or indirectly, by his appointment, are men not only without influence, but who do not command public confidence. This evil influence is corrupting the party, and it must rapidly grow worse or fall to pieces.

It is with regret that we allude to the disgraceful scene in the Senate. We have nothing to do with the private quarrels of Major Smith and Galloway, but as a citizen of North Carolina we blush, not only for the indignity offered to the State in its Senate Chamber, but for the ordinary decencies of life which Radical officials are daily in the habit of disregarding.—*Wil. Journal.*

SLEEPING CARS FOR THE RALEIGH ROAD.—The elegant sleeping coaches, the "Selma" and "Dalton," passed here Thursday night from over the Acquia Creek line, intended to be used in the new night arrangement between this place and Charlotte. They will, we understand, be put upon the line next week. This will prove a great accommodation to the traveling public, and will serve to throw in this direction much of the travel that now seek another route.—The temptation for traveling with us soon will be so great we fear we cannot remain at home.—*Weldon News.*

Forty-one hundred tons of wild sumac have been gathered in Virginia this year. It sold for $82,000.

For the Sentinel.

RAILROAD MEETING AT DOBSON.

Pursuant to the recommendation of a public meeting held at Mount Airy, which appointed delegates to meet delegates and other citizens of the county of Surry, at Dobson, a public meeting was announced to take place in the court house, at 12 o'clock on Friday 16th of November, a very large crowd assembled from all parts of the county. John Banner was appointed chairman, and H. C. Hampton, secretary.

The Hon. J. M. Cloud was called on and explained the object of the meeting, in a forcible and impressive speech.

Then on motion the chairman appointed the following named gentlemen, to wit: J. F. Graves, J. C. Gilmer, J. J. McMickle, R. R. Galloway, H. N. Wolf, John Hamlin, M. Y. Reiger, T. J. Williams, Vestal Hutchins, Samuel Scott, H. M. Waugh, C. C. Carkuham, Dr. N. A. Wolff, and Joseph Hollingsworth, a committee to prepare business for the consideration of the meeting. After this committee was announced the meeting adjourned for half an hour, at the appointed time the meeting reassembled. The committee reported the following resolutions:

Resolved, That we respectfully suggest to the President and Directors of the North Western North Carolina Railroad the propriety of memoralizing the Legislature to amend the charter so as to authorize the location of the Mount Airy branch of the said road through the county of Yadkin, if under all the circumstances, that route shall be deemed best.

Resolved, That we suggest, if it meet the approval of the citizens of Yadkin, Wilkes and the other counties deeply interested in this matter, and the President and Directors of the North Western North Carolina Railroad, that the charter of the Yadkin Valley branch of that road to be so amended as to remove the restrictions which require the said road to be located at any particular point along the line of the road.

Resolved, That we suggest that the charter of the Plaster Banks and Salt Works Railroad, be so amended as to remove restrictions which require the said road to be united at any designated points along the line of said road between the terminal points.

The resolutions were discussed by Messrs. Joseph Dobson, H. M. Waugh and J. F. Gray, after which they were adopted almost unanimously.

On motion the secretary was requested to furnish copies of the proceedings of the meeting for publication in the SENTINEL and *Standard* at Raleigh, the *Sentinel* at Winston, and *Old North State* at Salisbury.

On motion the meeting adjourned.

JOHN BANNER, Chairman,
H. C. HAMPTON, Secretary.

For the Sentinel.

DEAR SENTINEL:—We crave a little indulgence through your paper to express the touching sadness and unfeigned regret so unmistakably manifested on yesterday evening, at the Newton depot. For the first time I saw the sturdy, honest and plain old Catawba "Dutch" moved to "silent tears." A large concourse of people assembled at the depot to say "good by" to their dear friends, and among them their much esteemed and faithful pastor, the Rev. Polycarp Henkle. Between thirty and fifty took passage for the "wild West."

In Mr. Henkle's departure the entire county have sustained a serious loss. As a citizen he was much esteemed, as a useful man and a warm and generous friend.

As an advocate in the cause of Christianity he was eloquent bold and fearless—an impressive and ardent preacher, a deep and original thinker—with a grand mind reared and trained as nature formed it—a formidable and successful adversary in controversy and in every way eminently fitted for the arduous labors in the missionary field. He has accomplished much and great good in Catawba County, having organized and built up several Churches. He goes to the west to labor as a missionary; was almost inseparably attached to his people in this county, who are painfully sensible of the loss they have sustained in his leaving.

We naturally surmise whilst seeing such numbers of our best citizens leaving, why it should be thus. There certainly can be no local cause to justify such a course.

There is perhaps no county in North Carolina, blessed with greater attractions and superior advantages than Catawba county; the productiveness of our soil is unsurpassed, the climate salubrious and bracing, with the purest limpid water, "gurgling through the hiden rocks in the earth," boundless and inexhaustable mines of gold and iron, and peopled with thrifty, honest and industrious farmers and mechanics, of the German descent, famously characterized as the best people on the face of the earth, with a society undisturbed by political or domestic dissensions, with our credit unimpaired, not a bankrupt in the county, and few who shelter themselves under the homestead law. We have every reason to feel proud and amply enough to justify the assertion that in every view to be taken of us we are not surpassed by any county in the State, and have greater attractions than many others of greater notoriety. We hav'nt even a Ku Klux, whilst our sister counties are said to be distressingly infested with the aforesaid terror—occasionally we read the SENTINEL and heartily endorse the manly course you have adopted in exposing the infamous frauds and machinations of that bastard, whitewashed Republican party, which has entailed distress and ruin upon our State, and is now rapidly driving us into disgrace and bankruptcy, if they do not pause in this hellish career, repudiation is inevitable—and thus we go.

Yours &c.,
CATAWBA.

THE NAME OF THE WHITE MAN RUN OVER BY THE TRAIN AT MARLBORO'—SUSPICIONS OF FOUL PLAY.—The body of the white man run over by the train at Marlboro' Saturday night of last week has been identified as that of John D. Walker; whose home is in Columbia township within about six miles of Long Creek. He was in the city that Saturday evening about dark and then paid ex-Sheriff Bunting the sum of $60. He said he was to start home immediately and it is believed he was to walk. It is certain that he left perfectly sober. During the early part of the past week the family of the deceased feared some evil had befallen him because of his continued absence. Hearing that a man had been killed by the train at Marlboro' his son and brothers visited that place and disinterred the body, which was identified as that of Walker, and taken to his home for reinterment. This was either Wednesday or Thursday when friends were in the city making inquiries regarding the deceased.

There are whispers among the dead man's relatives of foul play, and with at any definite reason being given they suspect that he was murdered and placed on the track. They think that he had a considerable sum of money about him when he left here Saturday night. About thirty cents was all that was found on the body, we believe, when the Coroner held his inquest. The coat of the dead man was not on the body then but laying beside it. No injuries other than those evidently caused by the train were discovered on the body.—*Wilmington Journal.*

Special Correspondence of the Baltimore Sun.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.

The Virginia question goes over until after the holidays, much to the annoyance of not only Virginians, who had a right to expect earlier action, but also of such men as Gen. Farnsworth and other republicans, who do not disguise the feeling that Congress is acting in bad faith in not giving Virginia earlier attention. At the meeting of the committee on reconstruction on Saturday, C. C. Round, of Manassas, Commonwealth's attorney for Prince William county, Va., was examined in relation to local political affairs in the late canvass, and the manner in which justice is administered in the courts in which he practices, the coloring to which was high, and the assertions not at all calculated to inspire the committee with a favorable opinion of the progress of reconstruction in Virginia, provided credence could be given them. In his cross-examination he said that he had been in Virginia but one year, and that there was now pending against him a suit for slander brought by a colored man, but, he believed, at the instigation of some white men, to effect a division in the radical party of his county. He stated that Gov. Wells only represented a few federal officeholders, and that he (Round) spoke for ninety-nine hundredths of the republican party of the State, and did not want the State admitted without the test-oath imposed upon the members of the Legislature. He was somewhat severe upon the appointees of Gen. Canby and the federal officeholders in the State.

I. D. Budd, of Loudoun county, by permission, gave a statement of affairs in Loudoun county, and of the quiet and order that he believed prevailed throughout the State; of his belief in the purpose of the Legislature to faithfully carry out the constitution, especially in regard to colored people, and expressed his astonishment at the statements of Round.

Mr. Round in his anxiety to make as bad a case as possible, overleaped the mark and disgusted the members of the committee. Among others present in the committee room were Congressmen Charles H. Porter, E. V. Clark, Mr. Downey and others, who prompted questions and made suggestions to Round. Messrs. Porter and Clark are here armed with a series of resolutions adopted at a recent radical republican meeting held in Richmond. These resolutions endorse the action of the convention held in Richmond on November 24th and 25th. They also recommend the application of the test oath by Congress to the members of the present Legislature (which they designate as rebel) "as a condition precedent to admission to representation, so that the safety of loyalty may be secured." The resolutions also endorse Charles H. Porter and disapprove of the course of Governor Wells. They were presented to the committee, but had very little weight.

One excuse given for the postponement of action is that the reports heretofore ordered have not been printed, and Gen. Butler expressed himself in severe terms toward the government printing office officials because the printing had not been attended to. This excuse is, however, a mere subterfuge, as no one will read the report when it is presented. All that members will look at will be the bill, and they will take it for granted that the explanations made by members of the committee are correct.

The anti-admission party of the State has industriously circulated a rumor that the President has expressed regrets that he recommended the immediate admission of the State, on account of facts which have recently come to his knowledge. There is not one word of truth in this. On the contrary in all his interviews with Gov. Walker, Mr. McKenzie and others (and he has had several conversations with them lately,) he has expressed an earnest desire for the immediate admission of the State. And it cannot be delayed much longer. If the reconstruction committee does not act promptly after the recess, Gen. Farnsworth or some other member will bring the House to a direct vote on the question on their individual responsibility, and will demand the admission of the State without imposing additional requirements. It is not doubted that a sufficient number of conservative fair-minded republicans will be found to act with the democrats, and give the State representation in spite of any obstacles that may be thrown in the way by the reconstruction committee.

The reports of assassinations having become so frequent in certain districts in the South, an appeal was recently made by the commissioner of internal revenue to General Sherman for troops to assist the revenue officers in suppressing illicit distillation and in collecting the revenue generally. The troubles seem to be principally in a circuit comprising the eighth Virginia district, which is in the southwestern part of the State; the seventh North Carolina district, in the western part of the State; the third South Carolina district; third and fourth Georgia district; first and second and a portion of the third Tennessee district, and the southern portion of the eighth Kentucky district. These districts are adjacent, forming a section of country on either side of the Blue Ridge mountains, and it is here that illicit distillation is carried on to the greatest extent.

General Sherman thinks the government has better use for the troops than in enforcing revenue laws. He believes it has a tendency to demoralize the army, and in manners the effect which such surveillance has had on the troops of the British army. Again, the collection of the revenue belongs to the civil department of the government, and it is only when an enforcement of the laws is impossible that the services of the army should be called into requisition.—Commissioner Delano has therefore determined to arm and mount all the assistant assessors employed in the districts above mentioned, and empower them to collect the revenue and suppress frauds of whatever character. The only difficulty in the adoption of this plan is that it has been decided by the first comptroller that the pay of an assistant assessor ceases the instant he leaves the district for which he was appointed, and in making raids it might be necessary to cross boundary lines. However, the experiment will be tried, without delay, and it is believed a few weeks of active service will rid these districts of the illicit stills, and bring to justice those who have been defrauding the revenue and still defy the laws.

Senator Wilson visited the Executive Mansion on Saturday morning, and introduced to the President a Florida delegation, consisting of Hon. C. M. Hamilton, Representative from that State, Bishop Pierce, a colored member of the State Senate, Gen. Cass, Adjutant General, and J. C. Gibbs, Secretary of State, who called upon the President to send troops to the State for the purpose of aiding the civil authorities in executing the law and protecting the lives of the citizens, as a number of assassinations had recently occurred there.—The President, in reply, promised that he would confer with the Secretary of War, and forward troops to the State if it could be done.

M. Topin believes that his article in *Le Correspondant* have proved that the Man in the Iron Mask was one Matthioli, agent of the Duke of Mantua, and who betrayed Louis XIV. in a negotiation touching the surrender of the fortress of Casal.

ACCIDENTALLY SHOT.—We regret to learn that Mr. F. J. Lord of this city was accidentally shot while hunting with Mr. A. W. Reiger at his plantation in Brunswick county, about four miles distant, Friday afternoon last. These gentlemen, as we learn, had taken their stands for deer. Before the deer ran by, it seems that Mr. Lord had changed his stand without the knowledge of Mr. Reiger. The animal passed, and Mr. Reiger fired, and being in the direction in which Mr. Lord then was, one of the buckshot with which the gun was charged took effect in that gentleman's thigh, causing a painful flesh wound. He was at once brought to the city, and surgical aid obtained. The wound was probed, but it has been impossible to find the ball. Though painful, it is by no means serious. —*Wil. Journal.*

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aug 6-tf Raleigh, N. C.

THE SENTINEL.

CITY AND STATE ITEMS.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1869.

☞ THEO. S. RAMSAY, as Business Clerk, is authorized to make contracts and give receipts, &c., &c.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.—The telegraph rather crowds us this morning, so that we cannot give as extended notice to new advertisements as we desire.

W. H. Jones & Co., offer a new top buggy.

And A. D. Royster & Brother have lots of goodies and toys, a great variety of them, pretty, nice and cheap; and the juveniles and their parents flock there, and go away with bundles on bundles of all sorts of pretty things.

THE CLOSING CONCERT.—The Tremaine Brothers and Mr. Pierson gave their closing concert last night at Tucker Hall to a fair house, though not so full as was expected, nor as the entertainment merited. They are certainly excellent musicians, and very clever gentlemen, and not only have they given satisfaction as artists to those who have attended their concerts, but they have also made many personal friends in our city.

At the close of the Concert last night, the votes were counted, as announced, when it was found that they were nearly all cast for the M. E. Church, it being generally understood that no other denomination would contend for it.

We hope to welcome the Messrs. Tremaine and Pierson to our city again at no distant day.

ORNAMENTAL AND USEFUL.—These are the characteristics that ought to be sought for in making selections of Christmas and New Year gifts for our friends, and especially for the children. A single impression, gained from a book or a picture, may be so wrought into the sentiment and feeling of the young, as to shape their fate for life and even fashion their destiny for eternity. Such an impression, so gained, linked with the memory of a departed parent or friend, often influences the subject of it through a long life, wooing to the good and beautiful; the pure and holy.

If these things be so, then call in at Mr. Alfred Williams' Bookstore and inspect his stock of beautiful Bibles, Prayer Books, Photograph Albums, and splendid Chromo pictures, and the great variety of presentation books, and see if you cannot make choice of something for a present to a relative or friend, that is both ornamental and useful.

"Tobacco surely must be good,
So all the planters say,
Merchants join the common crowd
And its heavy taxes pay
'Tis not for physic nor for food
For stable nor for stall,
Sugar nor salt, water nor wood
But yet it answers all."
—*Old Poem.*

Yes, tobacco is a very good thing—that is, good tobacco. We like that sort, and we know exactly always where it is to be had; but we don't always tell—cause why? we have no motive. We know where it is manufactured, too. (We are speaking of smoking tobacco.) Z. J. Lyon & Co., at Durhams N. C., put up the kind of tobacco we have alluded to, and any one sending them an order and failing to get a first rate article, may charge the bill to us.

U. S. COURT.—Court met at 10 o'clock.—The whole of the day was taken up in the case of *Rae* on the Demise of Jos. M. J. Rogers vs. *Doe* and Benj. W. Goodwyn.—Bragg for the plaintiff, Barnes and Peeples for defendant. The argument relating to the conflict of laws touching the constitutionality of the homestead law was very interesting, so much so that we shall hereafter give a full synopsis of the points at issue. The argument on both sides was conducted with marked ability.

From the following synopsis of the opinion of Judge Brooks in the above case, it will be seen that he decides aversely to the homestead exemption, in case of old debts, and differently from the Supreme Court of N. C., as shown by the opinion of Judge Reade at the last term of that Court.

His Honor regretted that he was compelled to dissent from a majority of the Supreme Court, in the case of Hill vs Vessler. He thought that the very authorities cited by Judge Reade were conclusive against him. His sympathies were in favor of the homestead, the law, as he believed, was against it. His Honor commented upon the opinion of Chief Justice Taney, which he declared was clearly against the constitutionality of the exemption, and that of Judge Orr of S. C., which he considered to be better rhetorically than it was legally.

He thought that Courts could not keep up with the progress of the age, until the Legislature and Constitution had opened up a way for them.

The opinion has not yet been written out, and for the present we can give only the above brief synopsis.

NEW BOOKS.—We have received from the publishers, Messrs. Dick & Fitzgerald, 18, Ann Street, New York, the following new books:

Book of Fourteen hundred conundrums, riddles, enigmas, amusing sells, &c.

How to cook potatoes, apples, eggs and fish four hundred different ways.

How to amuse an evening party, illustrated with nearly two hundred wood cuts.

We presume the above may be had at our Bookstores.

CHERRY PECTORAL TROCHES is a new article just out, prepared by Rushton & Co., one of the oldest Drug firms in New York, located for the last 30 years under the Astor House.

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Five prisoners escaped from the Wilmington jail on Sunday last. Four of them were subsequently recaptured.

So says the *Journal*.

KNOCKING AROUND.—This occupation, whatever it may be, is a very common one, we gather, among our citizens, especially among our young men. Coming down the moral side of Fayetteville street, last night, we heard a merchant invite a young man into his store; "no, thank you," was the answer, "I believe I will knock around." A little further on we heard one ask another if he were going to the Tremaine concert; "Well, I don't know but I may, by and-by," was the reply, "I will knock around awhile, first." A gentleman called in at our office and was asked to have a seat, but he declined, saying he would "knock around a little and then go home." We came to the conclusion that there must be a good deal of "knocking around," going on. Some "knock around" in one direction and some in another. We don't know whether the occupation is profitable, but suppose it must be from the number that seem to be engaged in it.

PAID BY THE ÆTNA LIFE INSURANCE CO., through the hands of W. H. Crow, General Agent, for the State of N. C., and south of the James Two policies upon the life of J. A. Moore, of Raleigh, No. 17,296, $10,000; No. 19,416, $5,000. This is but another illustration added to the many already made known to the public, of what this old and reliable Company is doing in our State.

The following note is appended by permission:

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There are many ailments, trying in their nature, but the symptoms of which are not sufficiently specific to enable physicians to classify them under any particular head. As a general rule they arise from a general debility of the whole organization, but their primary cause, in at least three cases out of five, is a lack of brisk vital action in the stomach and liver. Stimulate and tone the relaxed digestive and secretive organs, and bodily ease, health and vigor will follow the treatment. Among all the medicines which have been recommended as conducive to this end, none has been administered with such uniform and entire success as HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS.

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THE RUTHERFORD *Star* is "informed that Judge Henry made an important decision on the circuit just closed, which affects the rights of minors arising under the provisions of the Homestead. The point arose on the application of Lewis, administrator, to the court for leave to sell real estate to pay the debts of his intestate, Edney, deceased. It appears that the deceased died during the war, and that owing to stay laws, military orders, &c., the administrator had not yet been able to close up the estate. To his application the heirs at law responded, alleging that one of their number had not yet attained his majority, and praying to be allowed under the provisions of the Constitution to have the Homestead exemption laid off according to law. His Honor held that they were so entitled, on the broad principle that the law was enacted for the benefit of the "helpless" ones—widows and minors. We understand that in this opinion the leading members of the bar concurred."

SINGULAR SPECTACLE.—"A goodly sized audience," "*inside* the walls" "of Tucker Hall" on Monday night, "enjoying" itself.

Mr. J. S. Davis, living a few miles from Charlotte died very suddenly on Friday last. Until within a few hours previous to his death, he had been in usual good health.

The Christ's Church Sunday School in Newbern, will give a series of charades and tableaux during Christmas week.

Goldsboro will have a grand ball on the 27th.

An attempt was made to rob the Confectionary store of Mr. T. C. Wingate, in Asheville, last week.

ROBBERY.—On Sunday night, about eight o'clock, the store of Mr. W. H. Pearce, on South Front street, was opened from a rear window. The thief, or thieves, were successful entirely, carrying off a barrel of flour, a box of cheese, two tubs of lard and a number of pairs of shoes.

This robbery was conducted in a singularly bold manner. A lady in an adjoining house saw a negro man coming from the rear of the store with a barrel on his shoulder, and asked him who he was. Another negro then came from behind the store, and gave the name of a man who resided upon the lot. Suspecting nothing, the lady allowed them to pass without further question. Had she raised an outcry the thieves could easily have been apprehended, as many persons were on the streets at the time.

The window had been left unfastened by Mr. Pearce's clerk, and entrance was easily effected.—*Jour. of Commerce.*

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SOUTHERN CONSERVATIVE.
THE UNDERSIGNED PROPOSES TO begin on the 6th January, 1870, the publication, in the City of Charlotte N. C., a weekly newspaper to be called the
SOUTHERN CONSERVATIVE.
It is to be devoted to the vindication of the truth of Southern History, to the preservation of Southern Characteristics, to the development of Southern Resources, under the changed relations of the Labor System, and to the advancement of Southern Interests in Agriculture, Mining, Manufacturing and the Mechanic Arts.
In addition to the contributions from the old corps of writers on "The Land We Love," the services will be secured of thorough men of science, and of Practical Farmers, Miners, Machinists, &c.
TERMS—$3 00 per annum, in advance. The remittances in every case must be by Check, P. O. Order, or Registered Letter.
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CHRISTMAS TREE, OYSTER SUPPER and other good things will be prepared at the Temperance Hall, in Oxford, on Christmas Eve, for the enjoyment of young and old.
Proceeds devoted to the purchase of a Parsonage for the Presbyterian Church.
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WEDNESDAY, Dec. 22d, 1869.
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One second hand Family Carriage and Harness,
One good one-horse Wagon and Gear,
Furniture and Household articles,
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300 BUSHELS of Western N. C. Seed Oats on sale.
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40 Carts with Harness,
300 Ames' shovels,
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100 Railroad Picks and Mattocks,
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250 Grain Bags,
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TELEGRAPHIC.

Tuesday Evening Dispatches.

WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—No Republican spoke against the Georgia bill last night. Bingham will speak against it to-day.

Voorhees is arguing against the Georgia bill. Dawes, of Mass., asked questions which indicated his intention to vote for it.

In the Senate Warner introduced a bill for more equally distributing the currency. Nothing from the Committees.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Bienville met the gunboats at sea, sailing freely. The scheme to blow up the Spanish war steamer, "Pizarro," was frustrated by Saturday night's storm.

FOREIGN.

LONDON, Dec. 21.—The Spanish Republicans have been banished for intermeddling with the French revolutionists.

Rochefort said in the Corps, "you have only one fear, it is the Republic; she is near at hand and will arrange the wrongs of Frenchmen and Spaniards." Pavrade, implying, threatened that the moment the Republicans exchanged speech for action, the Government would reduce them to impotence.

Tuesday Midnight Dispatches.

WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, Dec 21.—There were a number of confirmations in the Senate to-day.

Revenue $750 000.

Assistant Assessors are to be mounted throughout the South, and whenever it is necessary use force.

SENATE.—Turnbull urged the consideration of the bill admitting Virginia. Thayer thought this useless as the bill could not pass before the holidays. Furthermore he had information from Virginia unsatisfactory to him. He intimated that there had been fraud in the Virginia elections.

The bill compensating loyal States for vessels lost during the war, involving $ 80,000, goes to the President.

HOUSE.—At 5 o'clock the Georgia bill passed and goes to the President in the following shape: An act to promote the reconstruction of Georgia. Be it enacted that Georgia be and is hereby authorized and directed forthwith by proclamation to summon all persons elected to the General Assembly, as appears by the Proclamation of General Meade, dated June 25th 1868, to appear on some day certain, (named in the Proclamation,) at Atlanta and thereupon said General Assembly shall proceed to perfect its organization in conformity with the Constitution and laws of the United States, and according to the provisions of this act.

2d. That when members so elected to the Senate and House of Representatives shall have convened, every member and every person claiming to be elected as a member of the Senate or House of Representatives, shall in addition to taking the oath required by the constitution of Georgia, shall also take and subscribe and file in the office of the Secretary of the State of Georgia one of the following oaths or affirmations:

"I do solemnly swear or affirm, that I have never held the office or exercised the duties of Senator or Representative in Congress, nor been a member of the Legislature of any State of the United States, nor held any civil office created by law for the administration of any general law of a State, or for the administration of justice in any State, or under the laws of the United States, nor held any office in the military or naval service of the United St tes, and, thereafter, engaged in insurrection or rebellion against the United states, or gave aid or comfort to its enemies, or rendered, except in consequence of direct physical force, any support or aid to any insurrection or rebellion against the United States, nor held any office under or given any support to any government acting inimitably to the United States, or levying war against the United States, so help me God, or on pains or penalties of perjury, as the case may be." Or the following oath or affirmation, namely:

"I do solemnly swear or affirm, that I have been relieved, by an act of Congress, from disabilities as provided by the 14th amendment, so help me God, or on pains or penalties of perjury, as the case may be."

Which oath or affiation, when so filed, shall be entered on the record by the Secretary of State of Georgia, and said oath, or affirmation or a copy of the record thereof, duly certified to by the said Secretary of State, shall be evidence in all Courts and places. Every person claiming to be so elected, who shall refuse, decline or neglect or be unable to take one of said oaths or affirmations shall not be admitted to a seat in the senate or House of Representatives.

3rd. That if any person claiming to be elected to the Senate or House shall falsely take either of said oaths, he shall be deemed guilty of perjury and shall suffer the pains and penalties thereof and may be tried therefor by the Circuit Court of the United States for the district of Georgia in which district the crime was committed. The Jurisdiction of said Court shall be sole and exclusive for the purpose aforesaid.

4th. That persons elected and entitled to compose such legislature and who shall comply with the provisions of this act shall thereupon proceed to reorganize the senate and House by the election of proper officers.

5th. That if any person shall by force, violence or intimidation, willfully hinder or interrupt any person elected from taking either of oaths or affirmations prescribed, or from participating in proceedings of the Senate or House after having taken one of the said oaths or affirmations and otherwise complied with this act, he shall be deemed guilty of felony and may be tried therefor by the Circuit or District Court, of the United States for the District of Georgia in which the offence may be committed and shall be punished by imprisonment at hard labor, for not less than two nor more than ten years, and the jurisdiction of said Courts shall be sole and exclusive.

6th. That it is hereby declared, that the exclusion of any person elected as aforesaid and being otherwise qualified, from participation in the proceedings of the Senate or House, upon ground of race, color or previous condition of servitude, would be illegal and revolutionary and is hereby prohibited.

7th. That upon application of the Governor of Georgia the President of the United states shall employ such military or naval forces of the United States as may be necessary to enforce and execute the preceding provisions of this act.

8th. That the Legislature shall ratify the 15th amendment proposed to the constitution of the United States, before Senators and Representatives from Georgia are admitted to seats in Congress."

Bullock wrote a letter to Butler, assuring him that upon the passage of the above bill, he would issue a proclamation convening the Legislature on the 13th of January.

Bingham and Farnsworth are the only Republicans who voted nay. A resolution passed extending recess to the 10th of January.

ILLINOIS.

CHICAGO, Dec. 21.—The insurgents took the Hudson Bay Companies Fort near Pembina with a number of prisoners.

MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Cotton dull and lower, sales 1,200 bales at 25½; Flour slightly favors buyers, state 5,70, common to fair extra southern 5,40 to 6 60; Wheat 1 cent lower winter red western 1,33 to 1,35; Corn dull and heavy, old mixed western 1 13 to 1,14; Pork heavy 31 to 32; Lard heavy, kettle 19 to 19½; Whiskey 1,00; Turpentine 43½ to 44½; Rosin 2,05.

Money easy 6 to 7; sterling declining 8½ to 8¾; Gold very dull after touching 12½, closed at 20 to 2 ½; Governments dull, 62s 12½; Southern stronger; Ga. 81.

WILMINGTON, Dec. 21.—Spirits Turpentine weak 39 to 39½; Rosin dull, common strained 1,25; Crude Turpentine steady 1,65 to 2,80; Tar steady at 2,60; Cotton quiet.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 21.—Cotton dull and unchanged, uplands 11½; Orleans 11¾, sales 10,000 bales.

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$15 GOOD AS GOLD. $20
BUY THE ONLY GENUINE IMPROVED
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LARGEST,
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TOYS, NOTIONS, CUTLERY, &c.
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LESS THAN FACTORY PRICE,
SAVE TIME
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AND DELICIOUS,
THE
MUSHROOM OYSTER
AT
THIEM'S EXCHANGE Opposite
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WHERE ALSO THE BEST OF WINES Liquors and Segars are sold and the polite and obliging Wm. Buchalan will do all he can to accommodate those who will give him a call.
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100 SACKS OF THE BEST LIVERPOOL Salt, Factory filled, full weight, which we offer to Merchants and Farmers at low figures.
ALSO, a prime lot of Upper and Sole Leather at the lowest figures
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WE ARE SELLING OUR STOCK OF Clothing at Cost; freight added; those wishing to purchase will make a BARGAIN by not calling on us before purchasing elsewhere.
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1000 LBS. Elgin Dairy Butter, 35 cents per pound
200lbs., Chatham Dairy Butter 30 cents per pound.
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All fresh and nice
Just received at
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25 DAIRY CHEESE at 18½ cents.
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10 GROSS 1 OUNCE CANS,
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500lbs., Bladder.
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250 lbs., medium and Light Upper Leather,
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1000 lbs., Highly Finished Drop Shot,
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CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.
At Prices To Suit All.
WE OFFER TO OUR FRIENDS AND THE public our new stock bought after the decline in prices, and are enabled to sell our stock of new and fashionable goods lower than ever.
Beautiful Plaid Poplins,
Plain Poplins,
Chene Poplins,
Merinoes,
DeLaines,
Alpacas,
Empress Cloths,
Serge Plaids
Mohairs,
Reps,
Prints, Prints, Prints,
Balmoral Skirts, Hoop Skirts and Corsetts,
Breakfast Shawls, Hoods, Nubias,
Cloaks Arabs and Shawls,
Furs, Furs, Furs,
Alexander's Celebrated Kid Gloves,
25 doz. Kid Gloves at 50 cents.
Cloth and Berlin Gloves for Ladies, Misses and Gents,
A Beautiful assortment of Neck Ties,
Ladies and Gents Linen Collars and Cuffs,
Bleached and Brown Domestics,
Towels & Doylies,
Table Damask,
Flannel all grades and prices,
Gaiters, Polish Boots, and Walking Shoes for Ladies Misses and Children,
Boots and Shoes for Men and Boys,
A good supply of Hand made
Boots and Gaiters,
Cloths, Cassimeres, Jeans and Sattinetts,
We invite the attention of Merchants to our new stock.
PRIMROSE PETTY & NEWSOM.
dec 21-tf

MISCELLANEOUS.
Put on the night-cap and hang up the stocking For soon Santa Claus at the door will be knocking.
MOSELEY,
At Fentress' Corner,
NEAR THE NEW BANK,
has more good and pretty things than he ever had before.
CANDIES,
KISSES, FIGS,
RAISINS, JELLIES,
PRUNES, CITRONS, NUTS,
APPLES, ORANGES AND OTHER FRUITS CANDIED FRUITS, PICKLES,
CONSERVES OF ALL SORTS; TOYS WITHOUT NUMBER, INDEED, SO MANY things that Santa Claus will have to make twenty trips to even take out samples of them all. Little girls and little boys, youths and maidens; fathers and mothers aunts and uncles, brothers and sisters, and everybody else, are invited to come and look at my STOCK WHETHER THEY BUY OR NOT.
Fresh Oysters every day.
dec 17-tf MOSELEY.

HO! FOR CHRISTMAS!
BRADLEY AND CHRISTOPHERS'
IS THE PLACE TO COME TO BUY YOUR CHRISTMAS SUPPLIES.
Nuts and raisins, figs and Candy,
Cakes and apples and all that's handy,
For all the little girls and boys,
Torpedoes, crackers and pretty toys.
INDEED our assortment is large and complete, and we are determined to sell as CHEAP as the CHEAPEST.
FRENCH AND AMERICAN CANDIES PLAIN AND FANCY.
Fruits of all kinds, domestic and imported.
Fine Cigars, Smoking and Chewing Tobacco, of the most celebrated brands.
TOYS FOR THE YOUNG FOLKS, IN ENDLESS VARIETY.
In short it is a cook comprises everything usually found in a first class Confectionery establishment.
We respectfully invite members of the Assembly to an inspection of our stock, for something to take with them to the expectant little ones at home.
BRADLEY & CHRISTOPHERS.

CAKES! CAKES!
We are prepared to furnish cakes, large or small, of all the usual varieties. Send in your orders immediately and they shall be promptly filled at
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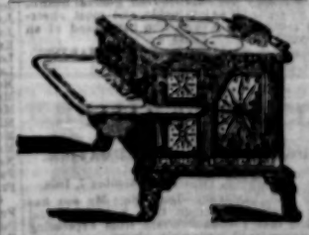
dec 17-3t



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STOVES OF ALL KINDS,
TIN AND SHEET IRON WORK MADE TO ORDER.
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CROSS CUT AND CARPENTERS SAWS.
A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF CARPENters tools.
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CUTLERY.
100 BOZON Pocket Knives,
60 dozen Knives and Forks.
Cutlery of all kinds.
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A LARGE LOT JUST Received.
An extensive stock of House Furnishing Goods.
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JUST RECEIVED,
At
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New Citron, Currants and Seedless Raisins,
Also, Fresh Malaga Grapes.
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THE SPRING SESSION WILL BEGIN JANuary 10th 1870.
Terms per Session of 21 weeks:

Board in advance	$70 00
Tuition in Primary Department	15 00
" Regular English course	2 00
Latin and Greek, each extra,	5 00

M. S. DAVIS,
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WANTED.
A YOUNG Lady who has had several years' experience in teaching English, French, and Music, Vocal and Instrumental, desires a situation as Teacher in a school or private family.
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BUYING RATES OF BANK NOTES, &c., BY
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" Cape Fear	97
" Charlotte	95
" Wadesboro	95
" Wilmington	97
" Roxboro	90
" Thomasville	95
" Graham	99
" Lexington	4
" Commerce	15
" Clarendon	4
" Fayetteville	19
" Washington	1
" Yanceyville	1
Merchants' Bank of Newbern	97
Farmers' Bank of Greensboro'	97
Miners' and Planters' Bank	97
Commercial Bank of Wilmington	97
Greensboro Mutual Ins. Co., (old)	1
Virginia Bank Notes average about	99
South Carolina "	99
Georgia "	99
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Life and Fire Insurance Policies issued in good Companies, at best rates.
Sept 4 10-3m*

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"GOLD IS DOWN."
GOODS ARE CHEAP.
2000 YARDS POPLIN ALPACAS Double Fold and Solid Colors 1.1 25 cents, worth 50 cents.
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BLEACHED AND UNBLEACHED DOMESTICS,
AND
PRINTS,
AT CORRESPONDING
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The best Goods at the lowest prices.
W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.
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250 YARDS NEW AND BRIGHT COLORED DeLAINS,
ALL WOOL,
Just received.
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Fresh Arrival of Goods,
FOR THE HOLIDAYS.
M. ROSENBAUM, has just received a full supply of
CLOAKS, SHAWLS,
NUBIAS, HOODS,
AND DRESS GOODS,
which will be sold at the lowest CASH prices.
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A BEAUTIFUL LOT OF LADIES, MISSES, and children's furs such as Russian Squirrel, French Poney, Black Poney and skating furs, which will be sold cheap.
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LADIES, MISSES AND CHILDREN'S BALmoral and Boulevard Skirts, all patterns and prices.
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M. ROSENBAUM'S No. 16, Fayetteville Street is the place to get cheap bargains.
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MARCOM & ALFORD,
RED FRONT, SOUTH SIDE
Hargett St., Raleigh, N. C.
ARE RECEIVING, TO-DAY,
Flour, of various grades,
Mocha Coffee, the best ever offered in this market, try it,
Java Coffee,
Laguira Coffee,
Rio Coffee,
Ex. C. Sugar,
C. Sugar,
P. R. Sugar,
Sole Leather,
Upper Leather,
Crackers,
Cheese,
Kerosene Oil,
Tobacco by the Box, Gennine Durham Smoking Tobacco, &c., &c., &c.
dec 8-tf

JUST RECEIVED,
BOX HAROLINA BACON,
HOG ROUND,
dec 8-tf MARCOM & ALFORD.

ELGIN WATCHES
Manufactured by The National Watch Co., OF ELGIN, ILL.
Pronounced by Watch Makers, Railroad and Express men, First and Best Watch in the Market, and received Time Keepers name.
Avoid parties who advertise to send Watches "C.O.D." PURPORTING to be of our make. We furnish none for that purpose. There are imitations in market. To get GENUINE ELGIN WATCHES, apply to dealers in your own locality or elsewhere, whose you know to be honorable. Business Office and Sales Room 159 & 161 Lake Street, Chicago, Ill.
Nov. 5, d6w.

BINGHAM SCHOOL,
MEBANEVILLE, N. C.
THE SPRING TERM OF 1870, OPENS JAN. 12th.
For circular address,
COL. WM. BINGHAM.
Dec 3-1m

CANDIDATES FOR COMMISSIONERS.
THE UNDERSIGNED RESPECTFULLY announce themselves, Candidates for Commissioners in the Eastern Ward.
J. J. OVERBY, Sr.,
N. V. DENTON
W. G. UPCHURCH.
dec 16 tf
Standard copy.

MISCELLANEOUS.

SECOND STOCK OF MILLINERY GOODS, JUST Received at MRS. ŒTTINGERS.

THESE GOODS WERE NOT ORDERED, BUT selected in person by Mrs. O. There are many entirely new and pretty things among them. Be some and look Ladies.

Oct 29-tf

RIDGEWAY NURSERIES.

A MAGNIFICENT LOT OF SOUTHERN AND ACCLIMATED FRUIT TREES, GRAPE VINES, CURRANTS, FIGS, STRAWBERRIES &c., &c.,

NOW OFFERED FOR SALE AT THESE NURSERIES.

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formerly owned, and successfully and satisfactorily conducted for several years by WESTBROOK & CO., were transferred in 1868 to

RIDGEWAY, N. C.

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nov 9-tf

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[ROOM OVER P. F. PESCUD'S DRUG STORE.]

AT THE LADIES' PAVILION IS THE most beautiful stock of FRENCH MILLINERY ever brought to this country.

A BRANCH OF MME. DEMOREST'S ESTABLISHMENT.

All goods at the very lowest prices.

Bridal Bonnets made to order. Fashionable Mantua Making. Styles received every week. A splendid stock of "Princess Alice" Furs. Laces, Ribbons, Flowers, &c. on hand at all times. Ladies! Call at once at the Pavilion, and see for yourselves.

Mrs. M. E. BEASLEY, Ag't, Raleigh, N. C.

oct 30-dtf

A CARD.

MRS. FRANCES A. JOHNSTON, FASHIONABLE

DRESS AND CLOAK MAKER,

Removed to the Secretary Hill residence on Hillsboro' Street.

SHE IS PREPARED TO DO ALL WORK IN her line, in fashionable and durable style. And respectfully solicits a share of public patronage, and will guarantee satisfaction.

oct 1-3m

A MAGNIFICENT

NORTH CAROLINA PLANTATION FOR SALE.

THE PLANTATION KNOWN AS "OAKLAND," (formerly the property of Dr. Samuel Kerr,) situated in Rowan County, N. C., on the Lincolnton Road, 11 miles from Salisbury, and about 6 miles from China Grove Station on the North Carolina Railroad.

This Plantation is one of the most desirable in the State, and in its improvements unsurpassed. It contains 1680 Acres, one-half cleared; a large quantity of Meadow and Bottom Land, over 200 Acres under cover of a Mill Pond for fifty years. The residue is heavily timbered with splendid Oak and Hickory.

The Family Mansion contains Eleven Rooms; the Out-Buildings consists of Kitchen, Dairy, Ice-House, Smoke-House, Laborers' Houses, Barns, Stables and a Granary capable of accommodating from 15,000 to 20,000 bushels of Grain. In addition, about 150 yards from the house, is the Mill—Grist and Flour—with three runs of Stone; and in its near vicinity, Miller's house, Gin house, Blacksmith shop, and Cotton Screw.

It is believed a Canal might be dug from the Creek, supplying the pond, to run the Mill, and the Land beneath, of extraordinary fertility, given to the cultivation of large quantities of Grain or even Rice. The Mill Building, resting on a story of rock foundation, has two stories and a half of brick above, with a wall on the first story two feet thick, and could be converted into a factory. The Residence is well situated, and commands a fine water view.

Fully two-thirds, if not more, of the population of Rowan county is White.

Parties desiring to see the property can apply at Raleigh, N. C., to Mr. J. H. Ennis, at the North Carolina Bookstore; at Salisbury to Brown Mock & Co., H. H. Helper, Esq., or Col. H. J. Long, Express Office; at Charlotte, to Wm. Phifer, Esq., Dr. E. Nye Hutchinson.

FOR TERMS OF SALE, &c., apply to Hon. J. H. Wilson, Charlotte, N. C.

Or Address,

GEORGE T. BARNES, Augusta, Ga.

dec 11-d1w

STOP THIEF!

$25 REWARD.

STOLEN FROM MY STABLE, NEAR ANDERSON'S Store, on the night of the 29th of Nov. last a blood BAY HORSE, seven years old, with black legs, mane and tail, very heavy, has two or more white spots on one side of his back caused by the saddle, and has gear marks on the sides; is barefooted and twists his hind feet out a little in walking. I will give $20 for the delivery of the horse, or $25 for the delivery of the horse and thief to me or information so that I can get them. My address is Anderson's Store, Caswell Co., N. C.

GEORGE W. PRENDERGAST.

dec 10-tf

FOR SALE.

ONE TEN BARREL STILL AND FIXTURES. Also, one Good Wagon and Harness, with a first rate team of Four Mules, young, strong and Sound.

If desired the purchaser can run the Still where it now stands, in the heart of a good Turpentine country. For further particulars address,

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dec 9-tf

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A VERY convenient article, for filing and preserving Letters, Documents and any kind of Papers.

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dec 15-tf

FOR RENT OR LEASE.

A FINE COTTON PLANTATION IN LENOIR County for rent or lease, five hundred acres cleared. Apply to

HENRY F. BOND, Agent, Kinston, N. C.

dec 16-d1w

The last Call for Taxes!

ALL Persons who have not paid their State and County Taxes for 1869, are hereby notified to come forward and settle the same by 27th inst., as further indulgence cannot be given. To avoid the disagreeable mode of collecting by distress I hope all who have not will come forth-with and settle. This Dec. 18th 1869.

TIMOTHY F. LEE, Sheriff Wake County.

dec 20-tf

DR. LAWRENCE'S Highly Concentrated Compound FLUID EXTRACT OF

Koskoo!

THE GREAT HEALTH RESTORER:

NOT A SECRET QUACK MEDICINE—FORMULA AROUND THE BOTTLE.

Prepared Solely by

J. J. LAWRENCE, M. D.

ORGANIC CHEMIST.

NORFOLK, VIRGINIA.

☞ Beware of Counterfeits. See that Dr. J. J. Lawrence, Chemist, Norfolk, Va., and the word KOSKOO, IS BLOWN ON THE GLASS of each bottle. ☜

Koskoo is endorsed by the best physicians everywhere. Read the following from Dr. Tillery, a successful practitioner of many years standing in the Old North State:

ROCKY MOUNT, Edgecombe Co., Sept. 18, 1869.

DR. J. J. LAWRENCE—Dear Sir: I have used your Concentrated Fluid Extract of Koskoo in my practice with the *happiest results*. I find it to be a *powerful Liver Invigorator Blood Purifier* and *Nervous Tonic*. In all diseases of the Liver, Scrofulous Syphilitic, Nervous Affections, *it is a remedy of immense value*; in fact, in almost every variety of Chronic Disease its use is indicated. Hoping you may meet with the success which you deserve as a manufacturer of *reliable* medicines, I am sir, with much respect your obedient servant,

R. C. TILLERY, M. D.

From Dr. Fentress, an accomplished and experienced physician.

Princess Anne Court House, Va Sept. 13, 1869.

J. J. LAWRENCE, M. D.—Dear Sir: I have carefully examined the formula, as well as the Therapeutic properties of your Koskoo compound, and *have prescribed it* in some stubborn cases of *Chronic Liver Affections Dyspepsia, General Debility, &c., and always with the most gratifying results*. I find it to be a splendid *Tonic Alterative, and Hepatic combination, accomplishing* its constitutional effects *without the slightest debility; in fact it gives fine support to the General system* while its alternative effects are being produced. *I cheerfully recommend its use to the public.* Yours, truly,

T. F. FENTRESS, M.D.

Koskoo cures SCROFULA IN ITS WORST FORMS. From Mr. A. W. Mills, a prominent and well-known merchant of Norfolk, Va.

No. 11, Main St., Norfolk, Va., Sept. 15, 1869.

DR. LAWRENCE—Dear Sir: Your Koskoo has worked wonders in my family. My daughter has been a sufferer from scrofula since childhood. She lost thirty-one pieces of bone from her ankle, several from her arm, besides having ulcers in several parts of the body. Whilst in this condition she commenced taking your Koskoo—IT ACTED LIKE A CHARM ON HER—UNDER ITS USE THE ULCERS GRADUALLY HEALED, AND HER GENERAL HEALTH GREATLY IMPROVED. It certainly saved her much suffering, and perhaps her life. I regard Koskoo a SPECIFIC for all scrofulous affections. Your Koskoo also cured my wife of dyspepsia, from which she suffered greatly. SHE IS NOW IN BETTER HEALTH THAN SHE HAS BEEN IN FIVE YEARS.

With the highest regards, I am gratefully yours, &c.,

A. W. MILLS.

KOSKOO, THE GREAT INVIGORATOR—Read the following from the Rev. Joseph E. Martin, pastor of Wesley Chapel, Portsmouth, Va.:

"This is to certify that myself and wife have used Dr. Lawrence's Koskoo, and can testify to its beneficial effects. Previous to taking it we were in a condition of debilitation—had no appetite, and suffered from sudden and often violent attacks of headache and nervousness. Two bottles of Koskoo has improved our general health, and we regard it as invaluable, and most cheerfully recommend it to all who have need of an *invigorator*.

Yours, &c.,

JOSEPH E. MARTIN.

KOSKOO!

CURES CHRONIC RHEUMATISM.

Norfolk, Virginia, September 7, 1869.

DR. J. J. LAWRENCE—Dear Sir: My son has received so much benefit from your wonderful Koskoo that I cannot refrain from expressing my gratitude. I had tried almost everything without benefit. I believe, in all sincerity, that your Koskoo is AN INFALLIBLE REMEDY for the disease from which he has suffered, and, so far as I can learn, has never failed. If you only knew the immense amount of suffering that he has undergone, then you could conceive the value of such a remedy as Koskoo—THAT SURELY CURES. The great amount of good it is now doing among us is inestimable.

With much gratitude, I am respectfully yours, &c.,

MRS. M. E. A. NELSON.

DR. LAWRENCE—Dear Sir: Having been treated by several skilled physicians for Dyspepsia, Chronic Disease of Kidneys, General Debility, &c., without benefit, as a last resort I commenced the use of your Koskoo, and am pleased to say that under its use my health has been entirely restored.

I am, sir, with much respect your obedient servant,

O. B. MEARS. No. 5 Market St., Norfolk, Va., July 6, 1869.

Pacific, Franklin Co., N. C., Sept. 11, 1869.

This is to certify that for a long time I suffered very much from inaction of the liver and constipation of the bowels and tried several remedies, but received no benefit until I commenced taking Koskoo. I took the medicine about one month, and I was completely *cured* and have remained well. I know of several *cures* made by Koskoo, and can cordially recommend it as a good medicine.

JOHN H. BAKER.

From Mr. Womble, a prominent hardware merchant of Norfolk:

No. 13 MARKET SQUARE, Norfolk, Va., Oct. 23, 1869.

DR. LAWRENCE.—Dear Sir: To the large number of testimonials which you offer of the great efficacy of your Koskoo, I take pleasure in adding my own. I suffered greatly with Nervous Debility, Headache, Loss of Appetite, &c. Two bottles of Koskoo RESTORED ME TO HEALTH.

Yours, truly,

J. G. WOMBLE.

From Rev. W. H. Christian, Pastor Dinwiddie Street Methodist Church:

PORTSMOUTH, Va., October 25, 1869.

This is to certify that I know Dr. Lawrence well. He is a gentleman of cultivation, and worthy the fullest confidence. I have used his "Koskoo" with advantage to myself, and have adopted its use in my family in cases of nervous debility and depression.

W. H. CHRISTIAN.

☞ For sale by WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD and P. F. PESCUD & SON, Raleigh, N. C., and all Druggists.

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DRY GOODS.

FOR 1869.

NEW GOODS! A HOUSE CHOCK FULL!! AT Creech's!

WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALER IN FOREIGN and DOMESTIC

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ALWAYS COME TO CREECH'S to buy MERINO DRESSES, for my money is as good as anybody's; I bought them as cheap as anybody, and I intend to sell as cheap as anybody. That's the way to talk it.

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Such as Kentucky Jeans, Tweeds, Satinets and Cassimeres. No better assortment or greater variety in the city. In fact, I have enough to keep the boys, the youths, the young men and the old gentlemen, all warm. Step in at Creech's and look at them before you buy.

HATS! HATS! HATS!

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SHOES! SHOES!

One among the largest and best assortments in the City. Come pull off your old shoes, throw away those that are worn out, and put on a new pair. Keep your feet dry, and preserve your health. Always come to Creech's before you buy.

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No use to talk. The style has changed. Spring and Summer styles are out of vogue; so go to CREECH'S. HE ALWAYS KEEPS THE NEW STYLES.

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Some small enough; some large enough; some trimmed; some untrimmed. It won't do you any harm to call at Creech's before you buy.

CLOAKS AND SHAWLS.—A Fine Assortment.

Now don't you think you had just as well step over to CREECH'S, and look. Probably you will save time and money. In fact, that is just the very place to get the worth of your money; and permit me to tell the people, that when they visit the City, to COME TO CREECH'S, for thousands who have come, acknowledge the truthfulness of my assertions.

I have more to say to you, but will tell you the balance at my place of business.

A. CREECH.

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Wake County,

RALEIGH, N. C. Dec 8, 1869.

I HEREBY give notice that on the 27th day of the present month, at 10 o'clock A. M., I shall sell on the premises of the delinquent city tax payers, severally herein mentioned, so much of their property—either personal or real estate—as will satisfy the claims of the city, for the years 1869-68 and 67.

S. N. WHITSON, City Collector.

	Andrews, Wm. N., Trustee to Mrs. McHetson part 160	$ 13.00
	do for Nelson King, ¼ acre	12.60
	do for Mary Andrews, part 25&41	49.10
	Buck, James, for Mrs. John Williamson parts 4, 1½ & 34	
	Busbee, Quent., p. 149, guardian,	17.60
	Best, Robt. 1 acre, remainder	37.00
	Coats, Thos. H, p. 161	9.00
	Ellen, Wm. H, p. 173 & ¼ acre	29.00
	Ferrell, James, ¼ acre	11.50
	Ferrell, Minerva, 1 acre	3.00
	Ferrell, Mrs M A, p. 25	6.00
	Foy, Isaac, p. 13, remainder	11.00
	Fentress, T R, p. 146	6.00
	Fendt, H, p. 118, rem.	68.00
	Ferrell, J J 2 acres	69.48
	Gallager, Mrs Matilda	22.00
	Harris E E, rem.	4.00
	Harp, N S, ¼ & part 1, rem.	10.50
	Haywood, W D, 220 221 204&205 rem.	40.00
	Haywood, Mrs W D, 2 acres	7.00
	Harris, Jas M, for J C, ¼ acre & p. 4	12.00
	Hughes, H T, ¼ acre,	7.00
	Hughes, H J, part 12, rem.	7.00
	Heck, Col. unlisted	4.00
	Hunter, Osborn, unlisted,	30.00
	Johnson, Nancy true name Jones ¼ acre	6.00
	Jenkins, Thos estate p 143&144	4.00
	Jones, Willie D ¼ acre,	62.00
	Jones, Willie D. & Dunn, unlisted pt. 121,	10.00
	Jones, Friday ¼ acre,	25.00
	Karrow, Jacob Rem pt. 86—100,	8.00
	Longee, A L part 146,	9.00
	Lee, T F, part 13,	139.00
	Morgan, Henry part 52,	22.00
	Maynard, Green ¼ acre,	5.00
	Macy, E O 4 acre,	9.08
	Mitchell, Alfred part 46,	20.00
	Moss, Willis part 93,	10.00
	Mayo, Rodie ½ acre unlisted,	4.00
	Nevil, Rev J P 1½ acres,	6.00
	Parker, Wm C	10.00
	Prairie, J P, pt. 146—81 and 1 acre,	22.00
	City in his debt,	
	Putney, Mrs. Sabra 131,	85.00
	Putney, Wm H.'s heirs ¼ acre,	100.00
	Ray, John pt. 160—161,	3.00
	Ray, E H, pt. 121,	25.00
	Rogers, S H, pt. 3,	29.14
	Rogers, Roan pt. 2,	41.00
	Smith, Perrin ¼ acre,	2.00
	Smith, Mrs Martha,	3.00
	Smith, Mrs Ann ¼ acre,	17.00
	Snow, T H pt. 187&1,	4.00
	Stone, John L ¼ acre,	43.00
	Smith, Martha ¼ acre,	14.00
	Smith, Perrin 107,	5.00
	Thiem, Phillip 146-78 29, rem city in his debt,	5.40
	Towles, J. M. parts 130 31, rem.	74.50
	Thompson, William estate,	42.00
	Vaughan, Mrs L M part 64,	63.00
		9.00
	McIlhenny Thomas 2 acres,	1,732.94
	Jones, J A part 29, rem.	26.00
	Perry, Dr L S part 274, rem.	7.00
	Heck, Col. unlisted,	5.00
		30.00
68	Andrews, Wm N parts 25 41,	1,817.94
68	" "	27.00
68	Busbee, Quent, part 149, guardian,	9.00
68	Davis, Geo W part 1,	27.00
67	Foreman, Louisa 218,	4.00
68	Ferrell, Mrs M A part 25,	1.65
68	Kimbal, Mrs B. estate, part 2,	5.00
	Mainard, Green	66.75
68	Moss, Jackson part 47,	9.00
68	Parker, Wm C part 63, rem	10.00
68	Putney, Mrs Wm H, part 130	15.00
67	Perry, Mrs Louisa ¼ of an acre,	25.00
67	Reid, Letha	4.00
68	Ray, E H Rem. part 131,	2.40
67	Rowland, Wm ¼ acre,	9.00
68	Ransom, Marcellus 1 6,	2.00
68	Snow, Theo	5.85
68	Smith, Mrs. Martha	27.00
68	William's Morgan heirs	3.00
67	" "	2.00
69	Wheeler & Co., Edward	4.00
	Receipt by J J Christopher,	22.00
67	Busbee, Quint Guardian,	10.00
69	Union Enterprise,	32.00
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Mayor's Office, CITY OF RALEIGH, Dec 11th, 1869.

NOTICE is hereby given that Books will be opened at the Mayor's Office on Wednesday the 22d day of December 1869, to allow citizens who have changed their residences and those that have arrived at twenty-one years of age since the last election, an opportunity to register.

The Books will be kept open for ten days. By order of the Board of Commissioners.

WM. H. HARRISON, Mayor.

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☞ By reference to the accompanying lists of Text Books used in the Schools of North Carolina in 1855, and those adopted this year, it will be seen that, in nearly every important particular,

THE OLD NORTH CAROLINA STANDARD IS RETAINED.

1869. The Present Standard. Adopted by the Board of Education.	1855 The Original Standard Recommended by the State Superintendent.
Parker and Watson's Spellers.	Webster's Ele'y. Spelling Book.
Parker and Watson's Primer	N. C. Reader No. 1.
Parker & Watson's Readers.	North Carolina Reader No. II.
Beers' System of Penmanship.	North Carolina Reader No. III.
Davies Primary Arithmetic.	Davies' Primary Arithmetic.
Davies' Intellectual Arithmetic.	Davies' Intellectual Arithmetic.
Davies' Written and Practical Arith's.	Davies' School Arithmetic.
Monteith's Series of Geographies.	Monteith's Manual of Geography.
McNally's School Geography.	McNally's School Geography.
Monteith's History United States.	Bullion's English Grammar.

From Rev. C. H. WILEY formerly State Supt. of Education.

BRISTOL, TENN., Oct. 14, 1869.

I had seen by the papers what had been done by the Board of Education in North Carolina and was glad. I had ample reasons for my former recommendations in the use of the books in our schools.

These Books are Used by the Best Schools in the State.

Late Testimonials in Brief.

It affords me great pleasure to bestow on them my heartiest commendation. They are vastly superior to any other books of the kind I have yet seen.—W. H. WEATHERLY, Prin. Clas. and Math. School, Elizabeth City, Oct. 23, 1869.

Send me ten Davies' Intellectual Arithmetics for introduction. They are superior to any I have seen.—W. F. ENGLISH, Mount Olive, Oct. 20, 1869.

I intend using the same books in my school as those used in the Common Schools. * * I am already using Monteith's Geographies.—JOHN D. JOHNSON, Yadkinville, Sept. 28, 1869.

I am and have ever been an earnest advocate of uniformity in school books. The Board recommendations—Arithmetics and Geographies—are the best that could have been made.—H. H. SMITH, Lincolnton, Sept. 29th, 1869.

Because these books are adopted by the State Board, as well as for the merits of the books themselves, we wish to introduce them, and use them exclusively in our school.—Rev. A. G. ALEXANDER, Charlotte, Oct. 11, 1869.

Steele's "Nat. Philosophy" received. Am struck with its superiority to the other in many respects. As a class is waiting, substitute in my order Steele's Philosophy for first introduction.—G. W. JEWETT, Wilmington, Oct. 13, 1869.

Davies' Mathematics was adopted by me in 1854, and up to this time I have examined no work superior to them. I have examined McNally's Geography and Peck's Ganot's Natural Philosophy. I consider them most excellent works and shall put them into my boys' hands at the earliest period.—J. E. DUGGER, Prin. Male Academy Warrenton.

It is my purpose to introduce Monteith's (No. 4) into my school. I give it the preference for the information which it gives on the subject of Physical Geography. The maps and questions in both works (Monteith and McNally) seem to me to be admirable.—Rev. ALDERT SMEDES, D.D., Rector of St. Mary's, Raleigh.

The system of Geography—Monteith and McNally—I am well pleased with.—Rev. WM. S. LACY, Raleigh.

Davies' Arithmetics, Monteith's Geographies and the National Readers are too well known to require a word from me. Monteith and Davies are the best that I am acquainted with.—Prof. FRANK VAUGHAN, Elizabeth City, Oct. 11, 1869.

I have waited patiently for the adoption by the Board of Education of this State of the books to be used in the public schools, and am much pleased to find that so many have been selected from the National Series.—Rev. W. L. MILLER, Charlotte, Oct. 1, 1869.

Am much pleased with both the Spellers and all the readers; and as to the Series of Geographies, I have long used no others when these could be obtained.—Dr. WM. E. HARRELL, Prin. High School, Snow Hill.

The introduction of so much valuable matter on the subjects of Physical Geography and Geology, and in a form so simple and intelligible makes it, (Monteith's Intermediate Geography) in my judgment, a charming school book.—Col. WM. BINGHAM, Prin. Bingham School.

I design introducing McNally's Geography and Davies' University Arithmetic.—Dr. CLOSS, Prin. Durham Academy.

Will introduce the University Arithmetic next term. An admirable work.—M. L. LITTLE, Prin. Pleasant Hill Seminary, Newton.

Monteith's Geographies are excellent works, and I shall introduce them into my school.—STINCHON IVEY, Prin. Auburn Academy.

The superior and durable style of binding of your works is a very great recommendation—one with which I have long been favorably impressed.—Prof. WM. A. OBENCHAIN, late Hillsboro' Military Academy.

I have introduced your National Series of Readers. We find them to be excellent, just suited to our purpose. With Davies' Mathematical series we have been long familiar, and can find no good reason for changing them. In the Primary Department we have Monteith's Geographies.—Rev. G. D. BERNHEIM, Prin. Female Seminary, Mount Pleasant.

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I am glad to learn that some of your books are to be introduced into our State Schools.—Prof. J. M. M. CALDWELL, Greensboro' High School, Oct. 23, 1869.

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Nov 23.

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No. 15,273	
" 18,018	
" 18,607	$ 5,000
" 24,092	5,000
" 27,512	5,000
" 38,650	3,000
" 42,974	10,000
" 35,802	5,000
" 48,793	2,500
" 16,159	10,000
and a cash Dividend of	3,000
" 43,676	5,000
" 43,330	78
" 51,136	2,000
" 14,598	5,000
" 40,266	2,000
" 42,975	10,000
" 22,304	5,000
	5,000
	15,00

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NORTH AMERICA,	17,44
BROOKLYN,	21,16
UNIVERSAL,	21,09
JOHN HANCOCK,	27,24
THE NATIONAL,	18,27
THE ÆTNA,	63,48
	13,41

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Oct 25-d3m.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APPLICATION will be made to the present General Assembly of North Carolina for an extension of the corporation limits of the Town of Franklinton, in Franklin county; and for certain alterations in the Charter of said Town.

nov 27-d30t

Lot in Raleigh for Sale.

UNDER A DECREE OF THE SUPERIOR Court of Wake County, I will on Wednesday the 22nd day of December, 1869, expose to public sale, at the Court House door in Raleigh, a lot of land in the Eastern Ward of the City, fronting on Davie Street and adjoining the lots of Dr. R. J. Haywood and Nicholas V. Denton, the said lot belonging to the estate of the late Patrick Ferrall, containing about one-half acre.

TERMS—A credit of six months will be given, and bond with good security required.

MARGARET FERRALL, Adm'x. and Commissioner,

nov 22 1m*

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